

# GRIMSBY OVER TOP LAST CALL, DITTY BAGS

## Don't Let Grimsby Fail On This Job

Men Who Sail The Seven Seas  
In Order That Food, Muni-  
tions, Shall Reach Safety  
On The Other Side Need  
Your Help.

### 37 BAGS TO FILL

White Elephant Girls To  
The Fore Again — Guar-  
antee To Fill 50 Bags — 202  
Already Shipped — 48  
Ready For Shipment — It's  
Up To You.

"For Men Must Work,  
And Women Must Weep,  
Though The Harbor Bar  
Be Moaning"

The Harbor Bars on all the  
water fronts around the world  
have been moaning for four long  
years and more, for Merchant Ma-  
rine Men. The men who brave the  
cruelties of the sea, ice, storm,  
mines, U-boats and close-in shore  
bombs and machine gun fire.

A Merchant Marine Man belongs  
to no Navy or other organization  
that is backed by the government.  
He receives no pension for disabili-  
ty. He is out there doing his duty  
as he sees it, without thought of  
compensation for the future, come  
what may. Many thousands of  
these men, are men who have been  
turned down as physically unfit by  
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## School Attendance Almost Perfect

Children Must Like Their  
Teachers For High School  
is Practically 100 Per Cent  
And Public School Like-  
wise.

Chancellor of the Exchequer of  
the Board of Education, William  
Hewson, reported to the Board on  
Wednesday night that the year's  
budget of \$29,878 would be lived  
within and a small balance left  
over, providing that no expendi-  
tures of any account are made.

Attendance at the High School  
for October was almost 100 per  
cent, with an enrolment of 143.  
The enrolment at the public school  
is 245 with an average daily at-  
tendance of 335.

The proposition of Councillor  
Mitchell of North Grimsby that the  
Town of Grimsby and the Town-  
ship flood the public school grounds  
and provide a skating rink for the  
children, which has been concurred  
in by the Lions Club, was heartily  
endorsed by the Board and they  
will give every assistance possible.

## Still Smilin'?



SAPPER HERBIE KEIR

Better known to his legion of  
friends throughout the district as  
"Smilin'". Now overseas with the  
Royal Canadian Engineers.

# The Grimsby Independent

Grimsby, Ontario, Thursday, November 11, 1943

## REEVE LOTHIAN WOULD HAVE COUNCILLORS GROW WHISKERS

### Summer Resident



ALBERT WAITE

One of Grimsby Beach's most il-  
lustrous and illuminating summer  
cottagers is the gentleman pictured  
above. "Abe" has been coming to  
the Beach for years and has a host  
of friends all through the Fruit  
Belt. He is Mechanical Superin-  
tendent of The Hamilton Spectator  
and has been steadily connected  
with that newspaper for 45 years.

### Bacon Family Are All In Service

Former North Grimsby Resi-  
dent Now Living In British  
Isles And Very Busy On  
War Duties.

Received your very most wel-  
come parcel of smoked. Thanks a  
lot.

Pte. Skewes.

My heartiest thanks and appre-  
ciation.

L/Cpl. Guy Winter.

Received the cigs to-day and  
they came at a good time as we  
haven't had any through for sev-  
eral weeks. They usually precede  
a batch of mail and so we're all  
happy about the whole thing. Our  
thanks as always to you and all  
the members.

W. Metcalfe.

Received 300 cigs sent by you,  
this morning, and I wish to extend  
my sincere thanks to all that made  
it possible. Words cannot express  
how pleased I am to receive them  
as they are so expensive and hard  
to get over here and the tobacco  
not near as good. Thanking you  
and all that made it possible. I re-  
main,

Yours respectfully,

Alex Neale.

Just a short note to thank you  
for the gift of cigarettes which I  
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Could Not Secure Seconder To  
Motion That Members  
Chins Sprout Hirsute  
Adornment Like Their Pre-  
decessors of Years Gone  
By.

### SESSION IS LIGHT

Council Pay Tribute to Late  
A. G. Boulter — Pass Mo-  
tion Recommending That  
1944 Council Pay Particular  
Attention to Employees  
Wage Scale.

Business was very light at Town  
council last night, there being  
nothing but odds and ends of rou-  
tine on the agenda. With no ques-  
tions before them requiring deep  
deliberation, Reeve Lothian in his  
most facetious manner, conceived  
the idea that it would be a good  
thing if the Town Fathers grew  
themselves a luxuriant crop of  
whiskers.

Suiting action to the thought he  
tried to get a motion through to  
that effect but was unsuccessful in  
securing a seconder. His motion  
was as follows:

"Whereas members of His Ma-  
jesty's Canadian Navy — are per-  
mitted to wear a complete set of  
whiskers — so demonstrating their  
virile manhood and further, as il-  
lustrated by a photograph, adorn-  
ing the walls of this august Cham-  
ber, former members of this body,  
the Grimsby Village council,  
emulated the Nazarenes, by not  
permitting a razor blade to touch  
their chin or cheek, be it resolved,  
that members of the Town council  
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## It's Still Summer In The Fruit Belt

Flowers Picked From Garden  
Arrive — Winnipeg in Ex-  
cellent Shape — Still Pick-  
ing Green Peas.

The fruit crop may be all har-  
vested and the foliage gone from  
the trees but it is still summer  
weather in the Fruit Belt.

Last Wednesday Mrs. Edward  
McAlonen, Robinson Street South,  
packed a large bouquet of asters  
and other flowers from her garden  
and shipped them to Winnipeg by  
express. On Monday she received  
an air mail letter from her niece  
telling her that they had arrived in  
excellent condition. Another box  
was shipped to Dauphin, Man. and  
they also arrived just as fresh as  
when picked from the garden.

On the same day Mrs. J. C. Da-  
foe, picked a bouquet and shipped  
it to Saskatoon and they too arrived  
in fine shape.

Mrs. McAlonen also reports to  
The Independent that she is still  
picking green peas from her gar-  
den and unless a sudden freeze-up  
comes will be so doing for at least  
another 10 days.

### Ex-Mayor Passes



ALBERT G. BOULTER

Former Grimsby resident and  
Mayor of the Town in 1931-32, who  
passed away in his 73rd year, at  
his home in Smithville, on Thurs-  
day night last.

### Grimsby Ex-Mayor Called By Death

Albert G. Boulter Passes at  
His Smithville Home—Had  
Been Active in Municipal  
Affairs For Many Years.

Albert George Boulter, one of  
the district's most prominent busi-  
ness men and a former mayor of  
Grimsby, passed away at his home  
in Smithville on Thursday evening  
last.

Although he had been in poor  
health for several months, his death  
was unexpected and news of his  
passing was received with deep re-  
gret by a wide circle of friends.

In his 73rd year, he was born at  
Victoria, Ont., in 1871. In young-  
er life he spent fifteen years as an  
assistant road master with the  
G.T.R., working between Toronto  
and London. Coming to Smithville  
in 1904, he opened a store. He was  
head of the firm of A. G. Boulter  
& Sons, which operated stores in  
Grimsby, Beamsville and Smith-  
ville for several years.

He moved to Grimsby in 1923.  
While here he took an active part  
in municipal affairs and was  
mayor of Grimsby in 1931 and  
1932. Closing the Grimsby and  
Beamsville stores, he returned to  
Smithville in 1934 and retired from  
active business.

The Smithville grocery business  
was taken over by his son Bert and  
the butcher business by the other  
son, Frederick. When Bert Boulter  
enlisted in the army his father as-  
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## EXCEED OBJECTIVE BY \$54,450 1205 SUBSCRIBERS TO LOAN

Grimsby citizens once again have proven that when  
the call comes they are ready to respond. For the fifth time  
since the war commenced the residents of the town and town-  
ship have exceeded the amount of their Victory Loan objec-  
tive. In this latest loan, just closed, the objective for the two  
municipalities was set at \$400,000. This looked like a very  
large sum to raise, particularly in view of the poor crop con-  
ditions in this section the past summer.

But when the final figures were compiled on Monday  
it was found that the objective had been topped by \$54,450,  
making the total loan sale \$454,450.

### Decorate Graves Of Old Comrades

Canadian Legion And I.O.D.E.  
Hold Annual Dedication  
And Memorial Service —  
Parade Was Largely At-  
tended.

Annual dedication and memorial  
service in commemoration of the  
fallen of the last war and the  
present conflict was held Sunday  
afternoon under auspices of Lin-  
coln Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. E.,  
and West Lincoln Branch, Cana-  
dian Legion.

Prior to the service, held in  
Moore's Theatre, members of the  
Legion, veterans of the present  
war, naval cadets, members of the  
R.A.F., R.C.A.F., army, R.C.A.F.  
(W.D.), C.W.A.C., High School  
Cadets and Boy Scouts paraded to  
Queen's Lawn Cemetery where  
wreaths were placed at the mem-  
orial gates and graves in the sold-  
iers' plot were decorated. Graves  
of soldiers in St. Andrew's church-  
yards were decorated and a wreath  
placed on the memorial there at  
the morning service.

Major Murton Seymour, O.B.E.,  
of St. Catharines, was chairman at  
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### Motorcyclist Is Instantly Killed

Lyle Smith Struck By Motor  
Car On No. 8 Highway —  
John McLaren Jumped  
Clear — Thrown a Distance  
Of 60 Feet.

Lyle Vincent Smith, 16, son of  
Herbert and the late Mrs. Smith,  
North Grimsby, was killed instan-  
tly on Saturday evening when his  
stalled motorcycle, beside which he  
was standing on No. 8 highway,  
one mile west of Grimsby, was  
struck from behind by an east-  
bound car in charge of Glen Small,  
167 Rosslyn avenue south, Hamil-  
ton. Another lad, John McLaren,  
also standing beside the machine,  
managed to jump aside in time to  
save himself.

Marks on the highway led pol-  
ice to believe that motorcycle and  
boy were hurled a distance of at  
least 60 feet by the force of the  
impact. Mrs. Small, riding in the  
front seat of the car beside her  
husband, was thrown against the  
windshield with such force that her  
head shattered the glass. The ac-  
cident happened only a short dis-  
tance from the Smith boy's home.

According to young McLaren,  
the motorcycle had stalled a mo-  
ment before and was standing near  
the edge of the pavement while  
Smith tried to start it. The motor-  
cycle lights were on and two other  
eastbound cars had passed the ma-  
chine, he asserted, before it was  
struck.

According to the police report,  
the car driver said he was blinded  
by glaring headlights on an ap-  
proaching car and did not see the  
motorcycle till within 15 or 20 feet  
of it. The front end of the car was  
extensively damaged.  
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The Fifth Loan exceeded the  
Fourth Loan of last spring by \$85,450, the total sales of that loan be-  
ing \$369,100.

The pay-roll system put into  
force for employees of the various  
factories in the town worked very  
successfully, all but two plants ob-  
taining more than 100 per cent  
sales. Canadian Cannery (Todd's)  
led this branch of the sales by 285  
per cent with Grimsby Stove and  
Foundry employees second with  
170 per cent and Canadian Can-  
ners (Corey's) third on the list  
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### Cigarettes Are On Their Way

175 Packages Of 300 Each  
Shipped Last Week To The  
Lads Overseas — Six Pack-  
ages Go To Prisoners Of  
War.

Grimsby boys overseas, where-  
ever they may be — 182 of them,  
including six prisoners of war —  
will smoke cigarettes on Christmas  
Day, thanks to the generosity of  
the people of this district.

"Cammy" Millyard reports that  
all shipments of Grimsby cigar-  
ettes are on their way across the  
pond. There are 176 lads on the  
war fronts and six in Germany. To  
each one has been sent a Christ-  
mas carton of 300 smokes.

In order that this shipment for  
the Yuletide could be made in full  
"Cammy" had to go in the bag.  
Having a good line of credit with  
Manager Eric Eugene Ewing of  
the Bank of Commerce he was  
able to do this. Now it is up to  
you to come across and get "Cam-  
my" out of debt.  
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### Overseas



CAPT. GORDON HUNTER

Son of William and Mrs. Hunter,  
Grimsby Beach, now overseas with  
the R.N.L.I. His brother Lieut. F.  
C. Hunter is with the same unit.



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## FACTS & FANCIES

Frank Fairborn, Jr.

### THE STEADY SUBSCRIBER

How dear to my heart is the steady subscriber,

Who pays in advance at the birth of each year;  
Who lays down the money and does it quite gladly,  
And casts round the office a halo of cheer.

He never says, "Stop it; I cannot afford it;  
I'm getting more papers than now I can read";  
But always says, "Send it; our people all like it."

In fact, we all think it a help and a need."

How welcome his check when it reaches our sanctum!  
How it makes our pulse throb!  
How it makes our hearts dance!

We outwardly thank him; we inwardly bless him—  
The steady subscriber who pays in advance.

### LAW AND ORDER MUST PREVAIL

In St. Catharines police court on Friday morning, Johnny Belcot, of St. Anns, the crack softball pitcher of the Peach Kings, was fined \$35 by Magistrate James Campbell, for assaulting a Peace Officer.

That is as it should be. Johnny Belcot did assault Constable Alf. LePage, in the course of his duties. Johnny admitted the assault and paid his fine. By so doing he admitted that he was wrong in attacking this officer. All the more credit to him for admitting his fault and taking his punishment.

The strange thing to me in the whole case is the number of supposed to be good citizens that uphold Johnny Belcot for taking a clout at a Peace Officer in the course of his duties.

Just because Johnny Belcot is a great softball pitcher does not make him immune to the law and I do not believe that Johnny Belcot thinks so either. It is just a lot of hare brained humans who idolize an athletic hero, and have not the least idea of what common decency means.

Those same people that I have heard belly-aching about Johnny getting three strikes called on him, are the very same people that I hear raving about the lackadaisical efforts of Chief Turner, Provincial Constables Riley and Hart.

Despite all the belly-aching of this particular outfit of C.C.F. supporters, law and order is going to prevail in Grimsby, and it always has, no matter whether a man is an athletic hero or a Jungle Jack.

There are over 400 Grimsby and North Grimsby men and women in uniform fighting for liberty and freedom. Strong in their belief that at home—Grimsby—their loved ones are being protected by the civilian police. Their faith is not in vain. The police of Grimsby, both municipal and provincial are doing a good job and anybody that wants to think otherwise will find himself in the same spot that Johnny Belcot was in.

### LAW AND ORDER MUST PREVAIL.

### BLACK NOVEMBER

Don't make any mistake about it, there are Germans today in their hundreds of thousands who regard this present month about as black a November as that 25 years ago, when on the 11th they threw the towel in, to Marshal Foch.

As a matter of fact, due to the uncertainty, the overhanging peril, the dread of things to come, the German mental state

may be lower today than when relief came 25 years ago, and the killing was ended.

They were hungry then, but they lived on hope. The whole war has been transformed within a year. The effect on morale from defeat in the Ukraine and at the Crimea has yet to gather a full tide. And this disaster to German arms comes on the eve of another winter, the fifth of the war. Hitler's one last hope, the U-boat has been blasted.

The Germans never did observe Armistice Day, November 11, but they always remembered it with shame and humiliation. Today, memories will be made more bitter by the bleakest and most hopeless outlook any nation ever faced.

### MAIN STREET

The difference between Canada and the United States are often greatly exaggerated. We quote an editorial from the Christian Science Monitor which is so true of any Canadian village that it goes to show only how the traits of our common ancestry still survive:-

"Reports indicate that Saturday night on Main Street has come into its own again. For many years Saturday evening was an institution in country towns and county seats. But there were lean years for storekeepers when farm families had all the gasoline they needed. It was just a pleasant junt to the nearest city, 20 to 50 miles away.

"Now it is different. Country stores are having a boom and the storekeepers are struggling with the familiar problems of manpower shortage and lack of stock.

"After an early supper, Father shaves, bathes, and puts on his second-best suit while Mother and the girls in their second-best dresses, protected by big aprons, do the dishes. Mother has the pail of eggs ready, and a box of pound prints of butter. (Of course, you remember. That golden-coloured spread you used to put on hot muffins and toast.) Many thrifty families still take produce to town to exchange.

"At John's General Store, Grain, Hardware, Groceries, and Notions, the actual trading does not take long. But the real spirit of Saturday night on Main Street is not the buying. It is the friendliness which prevails as one meets neighbors. It's the laughter and banter, the good memories of other times, the visiting and the catching up on the news of the countryside. Yes, and these significant days, it may be a handclasp of sympathy and an encouraging word.

"Main Street on Saturday night is part of the heart of America."

### USE YOUR VOICE

There is an admonition in the latest issue of "Consumers' News" a bulletin published by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board for the benefit of Canada's women, which might well be absorbed by every citizen of the Dominion. The title is succinct, "You Have a Voice. Use It."

"It has been said so often and so glibly that we are fighting this war for freedom, for democracy and for the rights of the citizen, that we are apt to accept the statement without thinking very deeply as to its meaning, especially as most of us have absolutely no experience of what it means to live in a country ruled by a dictatorship which denies the citizen any individual freedom at all," the article contends.

"As Canadian citizens we have the unquestioned right to think for ourselves. We have the right to criticize and to express our opinions without finding ourselves behind bars or before a firing squad. But that is less than half the story. What is even more important today is that we should realize to the full the responsibilities that go with our rights and do something with them."

The last line is the most challenging. Admittedly Canadians are well versed in the business of complaining. That is one of the rights of democracy, one of the rights for which we fight. But complaints are generally voiced within the neighborhood circle, rather than directed toward a proper source of adjustment.

Public opinion points the way toward the necessity for such adjustments and, if possible, amendments to orders can be made by the government. But if the machine of war is to run smoothly, co-operation from private citizens is essential. In the article, women's groups are urged to send representatives to the Advisory Committees of the Consumers' Branch.

Through the branch, with its network of thirteen thousand representatives across Canada, every citizen may be in direct contact with the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Canada is writing the hardest chapter in her economic history. It is the privilege, rather than the duty, of every Canadian

to see her through that task. Aimless complaining is a weak link in the war chain. Bring the necessity for readjustments before the right people. You have a voice. Use it.

### SENSELESS STYLES

If any woman reader of this is irked by that heading she is urged to read the rest before aiming a brickbat at the editorial head. She might be temporarily soothed by the assurance that the average male, though he jokes about her doodads and finery, really appreciates her attention over her appearance and thinks a great deal more of some of those unusual hats than he is willing to admit. The woman who doesn't believe this can test her man's reaction by displaying herself some day in a dress of sackcloth.

Though the women naturally feel it more, the honest male will admit reluctantly that the Wartime Prices and Trade Board campaign against "frills" has taken something of the feminine touch out of our daily lives. Neither men or woman are complaining. It is a sacrifice that is expected.

At least two men in Canada today are, however, quite pleased at the ravages of the W.P.T.B. in the realm of style. They are Professor Frank Scott, national chairman, and David Lewis, national secretary of the C.C.F. party. They voice their glee in a rather obscure passage of a book they have recently turned out "Make This Your Canada", a review of the C. C. F. party policy. Their only disappointment is that the frill-snipping of the W.P.T.B. has not been carried far enough.

Speaking disdainfully of pre-war days, Scott and Lewis say: "A tremendous amount of waste was incurred by numerous manipulations of styles and products which added nothing to the utility of the article but which, on the contrary, often misled an unsuspecting public."

Then, in appreciation of the wartime butchering of styles—and possibly in pleased anticipation of how much this could be extended if the nation went socialist and voted them into power—they continue. "Today prices are fixed, styles are supervised and utility products are gradually replacing crazy competition in senseless styles."

With our womenfolk today given the vote to protect their own interests it seems difficult to understand how Scott and Lewis could expect to gather many feminine votes with talk like this. Possibly they believe the

jokes about the husband fainting at the sight of his wife's hat, and are trying to gather a voting bloc of such men.

One thing at least the Scott-Lewis declaration has done. It has made the situation clear. Any woman who is fed up with "senseless styles" can go out and vote C.C.F. the next time an election gives her the chance.

## Letters To the Editor

St. Catharines, Ont.,  
October 30, 1943.

The Grimsby Independent,  
Grimsby, Ontario.

Dear Sir:

On behalf of The Canadian National Institute for the Blind and the St. Catharines-Lincoln Advisory Board I wish to thank you most sincerely for your exceptional assistance in connection with our recent tag day held at Grimsby. The publicity that your paper gave our tag day was, perhaps, really responsible for the larger returns this year over previous years, which necessitated the making of more tags of which you were good enough to make. This splendid co-operation and interest in our work stimulates us to continue to merit your fullest support by doing everything we can to aid the condition of the blind. We would also like to express the appreciation and thanks of all those who participated in our effort for your generous, whole-hearted assistance.

Therefore on behalf of all of us who are working in the interest of the blind and on the behalf of the blind who receive this help will you please accept our many thanks.

Very sincerely yours,  
Max P. Knechtel,  
Field Secretary.

Grimsby Beach,  
November 9, 1943.

The Grimsby Independent.

Mr. Editor:

I would like to quote you an example of co-operation that warms my heart. Mrs. Fred Tufford (Gertie) called me up to say that she had a quantity of old paper, all tied in bundles for the salvage. She said if it would help any she could send it up.

Mrs. Russell Young had also called me about salvage, and I told Gertie about it. What did Gertie do? She called Mrs. Young and offered to take up her salvage at the same time, with hers.

One big load instead of two small ones, saving gasoline, tires and manpower.

More power to the women who will follow this example.

The new salvage warehouse is open from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. and there is a great need for rags and paper. Bring it or send it in at once.

Salvage Committee,  
J. A. Wray.

## The Cupboard Is Bare! The Coal Bin Is Empty!! The Editor's Pocketbook Is Flat as a Pancake!!!

THE COAL MAN, THE KNEADER OF DOUGH, THE VICTUALERS,  
ARE ALL HOWLING FOR THEIR MONEY. YOU CAN  
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BY HOLLIS

## A Nation's Homes

So long as there are homes to which men turn  
At the close of day,  
So long as there are homes where children are,  
Where women stay,  
If love and loyalty and faith be found  
Across these hills,  
A stricken nation can recover from  
Its gravest ills.  
So long as there are homes where fires burn  
And there is bread,  
So long as there are homes where lamps are lit  
And prayers are said,  
Although a people falters through the dark  
And nations grope,  
With God Himself back of these little homes,  
We still have hope.

—Grace W. Crowell in the Australian Church Standard.

## Spring In February

Sometime next February when the longing for spring grips you, wouldn't you like to have a nice bloomy bowl of narcissus or hyacinths on the kitchen window sill?

And so you may. Plant your bulbs in November and early December. Plant them in anything that will give plenty of room for root growth, and allow for drainage. Good garden soil is all that bulbs require, but a little powdered charcoal and bonemeal will be a help. Set the bulbs an inch apart, with their noses just showing. Firm the earth around them, water them well, and place them in a dark spot in the cellar. If you have a cement floor, bring in some pails or boxes of earth to set your pots in, then cover them with paste board boxes, or anything to keep out the light. They must be kept cool. An outdoor root cellar is much better than a warm one under the house.

Look them over every two or three weeks, they may need more water. When root fibres appear through the holes in the bottom of the pot and a pale green nose pokes through the earth, bring the more forward upstairs and put them in a clothes cupboard, still covered over. They will need more frequent watering. When the first leaves are about an inch high, they may be brought out and placed in a dim corner until the leaves have changed to a real green. They will take plenty of water now, and may be placed in a sunny window. Move them out of the window at night, but it won't hurt them if the room drops to a low temperature. They prefer a cool temperature, anyway.

You have a choice of Hyacinth, Daffodils, tulips, narcissus, or a pot or two of each. Just for a treat, try a pot of the little grape hyacinth, blue and white mixed.

## The Pennsylvania Dutch Who Stayed Behind

What about the Pennsylvania Dutch who stayed behind? For only a few small groups, mostly of the Mennonite sect, came to Ontario during the disturbances that followed the American Revolution.

They are still there, in the rich farm lands of Pennsylvania where they began to settle in 1681 at the invitation of William Penn, the young English Quaker who had acquired a huge block of land in the new country.

Most of them came from the Palatinate, a fertile strip of land along the Upper Rhine, eagerly accepting the chance to leave their war ravaged lands for the new world where peace abode and each man worshipped God according to his own and not another's conscience, under laws in whose making everyone had a hand.

By 1776 almost half the residents of Pennsylvania were from German states. They spread through the river valleys, choosing the best land by instinct, as far north as the Mohawk, for in those days the

## Ways For Warmth



That old adage "you can't have your cake and eat it" has changed during these war days to "you can't have your coal and burn it." Canadians will want to make certain of getting all the heat possible from the coal they burn during the next six months. Warm air registers and cold air registers should never be obstructed with rugs or furniture. The young housewife in the picture above knows that unless they are clear, the free circulation of air cannot take place.

borders of Pennsylvania reached up into what is now the state of New York, to Maryland in the south.

Not all were farmers. Among the groups of emigrants were artisans, scholars, potters, printers, lawyers, weavers, turners, ministers and gunsmiths. The first paper mill was built by William Rittenhouse, some of whose descendants settled, along with others of their people, in the Jordan-Vineland district.

Down in Pennsylvania, the old customs and the old dress still prevail among the "plain" sects, at least with very little change in the last 175 years or so. Little schoolgirls wear the close fitting black bonnets over straight hair, parted in the centre and slicked back behind the ears, skirts to their ankles, and black shawls, just as their mothers and grandmothers do. Boys' hair is cut in Dutch bob style, with bangs. They wear broad brimmed felt hats and light trousers that stop well above the ankle.

Farmers still paint brightly coloured "hex" signs on their huge barns to keep away bad luck. They set great store by the ancient books of incantations and mystic recipes handed down by their ancestors. They still decorate their furniture, dower chests and birth certificates with gaudy hearts and birds and tulips, with animals and suns, moons and stars, and many other quaint symbols.

Their wives make the same palate-tickling food as their great-grandmothers did; schnitz and knepp, schmiercase and boovaahenkel, geschnitzte noodles, chicken corn soup, and the "seven sweets and seven sours," to enumerate only a few.

## Blow, Blow, Thou Winter Wind!

Well, there's a good job well done! Core the cold winds and the snow, we are ready. The storm sash are up and the storm doors hung and we're all dug in for the winter. What a cosy feeling it gives to know that everything is as weathertight and snug as it can be made.

The carrots, celery, potatoes, beets and turnips are all in their comfortable pits, with a wisp of straw sticking up through the top for ventilation. The cabbages are hung by the heads from the cellar rafters, and the onions are there too, spread on slatted trays piled one above the other. Hampers of winter apples are stacked on the shelves, —the good old stand-bys, Greening, Spy, Baldwin and Russet. A few cases of Snow and Delicious are ready to hand, —and the hand is pretty frequent. The preserve cupboard, although not so plentifully stocked as in former years has, we hope, enough good things in store to see us through, with care.

Yes, we're all ready for winter, so it's about time for a spell of fine Indian Summer weather.

## Pennsylvania Dutch Apple Butter

For the last 170-odd years the Pennsylvania Dutch have been making Apple Butter both for home consumption and for market. Here's the way they make it in Bucks County, and maybe in the township of Louth, too:

Sweet cider is boiled down to about one-third its original quantity. To this is added an equal weight of sliced apples, about a third as much of molasses, and various spices, such as cloves, ginger, mace, cinnamon or even pepper, all boiled together for twelve or fifteen hours.

Often the great kettle is filled with cider in the morning, and boiled and stirred constantly all day, then the sliced apples are added at night, and the monotonous stirring continues till morning, when the butter can be packed in jars and kegs for winter use. When finished it is smooth and solid like cheese and dark red in colour. The butter making is an outdoor job, with a specially built fireplace of its own for hanging the huge kettle in.

## Suiting The Card To The Person

Everybody knows the best time to begin planning for Christmas is the day after Christmas. And the same would seem to apply to sending out Christmas cards, at any rate, to those that go abroad, for now it's October that they must be on their way.

It's an important ceremony, selecting the right card for the right person, having, at the same time, regard to the warmth of our feeling for that particular person. —Or is it an olive branch offering? Or is it for some thorny one whom we would gladly like a little better, given half a chance?

Here's the one for Emmy Jessie, living in that over-blitzed corner of south-east England: A country dooryard, abloom with all the sweet flowers we remember in her own garden, a black cat sprawled on the brick walk in the sun, a little Georgian porch covered with pendulous blue blooms of Wisteria, an open door with a glimpse within of more flowers on a small stand, and pictures on the wall.

The spray of velvety crimson poinsettias is for Dora, the grammar school teacher. For a schoolma'am the girl has a bright personality which three years of intensive war and twenty of teaching have failed to dim.

The old-fashioned fireplace with armchairs drawn up, kettle steaming on the hob, little table set for tea with blue china, and Rover dreaming on the hearth rug, is just the one for Uncle Peter and Aunt Martha in Lancashire.

The blossomy cards, the cards that picture peace and comfort are all for England and Scotland. The snow scenes, the sleighing parties, the skaters, the frozen brooks are to stay in Canada where they belong. Not for worlds would we send such cards to England or even to the good old U.S.A.! Both countries have highly exaggerated notions of this "land of perpetual snow and ice," and it will take all the sunny gardens and luscious fruit orchards and gay bathing beaches we can send on Christmas cards to offset their overdrawn misconceptions.

## LET'S BUY THEM A DITTY BAG

NEW YORK, Nov. 5 (BUP).—When Toronto-born Fern Blodgett reported at a Norwegian refrigerator ship for her first job as a radio operator in 1941, the skipper, a veteran of Atlantic warfare, objected.

At length Capt. Gerner Sunde, from the South of Norway, gave in. His regular operator was sick.

Yesterday the Norwegian shipping and trade mission announced the marriage of Second Mate Blodgett to Sunde, who has completed 58 Atlantic crossings.

The honeymoon—two more round trips. The former Miss Blodgett worked as a stenographer in a Toronto insurance office but had completed a six-months' course in radio operation when Capt. Sunde's emergency arose.

She noted Capt. Sunde's obvious disapproval when she reported for duty on Friday, June 13, 1941, and her morale wasn't bolstered very much when on the first day she suffered a violent attack of sea-sickness. She saw the end of her sea-career, but so efficient did she become that at the end of the voyage, Capt. Sunde changed his tune and decided he would not replace her.

Five months later he faced her with an engagement ring and the following July after her 14th Atlantic crossing, they were married in Montreal. Mrs. Sunde has made 44 of the ship's wartime voyages and she now has two assistant radio operators.

## NATIONAL EMERGENCY



Don't waste  
COAL

Make every  
shovelfull count!

CANADIAN PACIFIC

PART of the Canadian Pacific Railway's campaign for rigid conservation of coal during this heating season is a special booklet of instructions, the front cover of which is illustrated above and which all those immediately responsible for handling company coal must follow. Supplementing the booklet a general appeal on home saving possible has gone to the almost 70,000 employees of the company and the subject will be kept alive by a continuing intracompany educational series. All phases of the campaign, announced by W. M. Neal, the vice-president, are expected to save 500,000 tons of coal throughout the system itself, with the home savings by Canadian Pacific people expected to add considerably even to that impressive figure. The company saving will be 10 per cent. on the approximate 5,900,000 tons of coal required annually — a remarkable saving, when considered in the light of the Canadian Pacific's own conservation campaign to increase operating efficiency, which has been intensively pursued for 10 years.

## Volunteers In Action



Citizens' committees in many cities have assumed responsibility for providing hostel facilities for members of the armed services on leave. Volunteers are shown at work in a typical hostel. From hostels duty to diaphan duty, the hostels require the services of many volunteer workers.

## DON'T WASTE FOOD



NAVY WEEK STARTS NOV. 21st



# Social Events ★ Personals ★ Organizations ★ Club Activities

Have you heard about The Rebellion of Youth?

Bandman Fred Durham, Camp Borden, was home over the weekend.

Sergt. Keith Brown, R.C.A.F., Trenton was home for the weekend.

Proceeds of Christmas Seal Sales in Grimsby and District last year for Niagara Peninsula Sanatorium were \$287.68.

Sergt. Roy Hurst, R.C.A.F. overseas, son of Harvey Hurst, has been promoted to the rank of Flight-Sergt.

Miss Z. Grasley is a patient in Hamilton General Hospital with a fractured leg. The accident occurred at her home in Hamilton.

Mrs. J. Vooges is again asked to take an active part in Navy League work after being laid up for several weeks with an injured wrist.

Wm. G. and Mrs. Copeland, Elizabeth street will celebrate the 50th anniversary on Monday next, Nov. 15th, very quietly, owing to the ill health of Mrs. Copeland. The Independent extends congratulations and hope they will both be spared to celebrate many more such occasions.

Wylie Theal, of Camp Borden, is home on furlough.

Mrs. Nettie Whittaker, Hamilton spent Sunday with Mayor and Mrs. Edric S. Johnson.

L.A.C. John Spencer, R.C.A.F. is spending his furlough with his parents George and Mrs. Spencer, Ridge Road east.

L.A.C. Harry Kemp, R.C.A.F., Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents Lt.-Col. Fred and Mrs. Kemp, Nelles Boulevard.

Mrs. Norman Hoebel and small daughter, Cheryl Rose, of Crowland, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hoebel, Depot street.

A.W. 2 Louise Buckenham, R.C.A.F., (W.D.), of Rockcliffe, spent the weekend at her home here. She was accompanied by Miss Jane Dulmage, of Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Flett have received word of the safe arrival overseas of their nephew, Sgt. W. E. Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Walker, Melissa, Ont.

Mrs. Donald A. Beckstead, Chatham, was a weekend visitor at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Durham, Grimsby Beach. Mrs. Beckstead's brother, Thomas Archer, left on Saturday with 900 other members of the R.C.A.F., for Saskatoon, where he has been posted.

The 124th anniversary services were held in Fifty Church on Sunday. Rev. N. S. Anderson, Stoney Creek, was the speaker in the morning and in the evening Rev. Hiram Hull, First United Church, Hamilton, preached. Special music was given by the choir, under the leadership of George Smith. Frank Boyle, R.C.A.F., Hamilton, was the soloist at both services. The junior choir assisted in the evening.

## Trinity W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of Trinity United Women's Association was held at the home of Mrs. P. Wilkins on Monday afternoon, with a good attendance. The business session was conducted by Mrs. J. O. Moore, president.

A pleasant hour was spent making quilt blocks, followed by refreshments served by Mrs. Erwin Humme and Mrs. Mel. Pettit. Arrangements were made to hold a Rummage Sale on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 12th and 13th. New articles as well as old will be offered.

Plan to see The Rebellion of Youth. You'll enjoy it.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Havens, Brantford, spent the weekend with Mrs. Clifford McCartney.

The Mothers' Club will meet at the home of Mrs. G. DeQuetteville on Thursday next.

A.C. 2 Wm. Fellows, R.C.A.F., was home from Lachine, Que., over the weekend, on his way to Belleville for a special course.

Cpl. Thomas Garimago, of Toronto, spent the weekend at his home here. He received his promotion from Lance Corporal last week.

The Ladies' Aid of St. John's Presbyterian Church will hold a Penny Sale at the home of Mrs. R. E. McIntyre, Nelles Road, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 17th. Come and bring a friend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Sovereign, of Central Avenue, Grimsby Beach, were in Toronto last Friday attending the funeral of Mrs. Sovereign's cousin, Dr. J. N. E. Brown. Dr. Brown was an ex-superintendent of the General Hospital in Toronto and the Ford Hospital in Detroit. He also served the Dominion Government for a number of years as Territorial Secretary and Medical Officer of Health for the Yukon, going there at the time of the gold rush in '98. He was a brother of Rev. Homer G. Brown, of Chengtu, West China, who is now home on furlough.

## Rebekah Lodge

At their regular meeting in Masonic Hall on Tuesday members of Alexina Rebekah Lodge enjoyed an evening of bridge and euchre. The door prize was won by Mrs. B. Greenwood.

The winners at the euchre tables were Mrs. Geo. Mould, ladies' high; consolation, Mrs. Roy Clemens. Gent's high went to Mr. Geo. Mould, and Gent's low to Mr. A. Hermiston.

Mrs. Ed. Hand, Sr., was high winner at bridge, and Mrs. Geo. Konkle low winner.

The members plan to hold another bridge and euchre on December 14th, beginning 8.45 p.m.

## Eastern Star

Grimsby Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, held its regular meeting in the Chapter Room on Tuesday evening, Nov. 2nd. Mrs. Violet Day, Timmins, Worthy Grand Matron, and other Grand Chapter officers were present.

Annual reports of the various committees for the year were given, and were very gratifying, especially those of the benevolent and patriotic committees.

A reception honouring Mrs. Inez Cloughley, District Deputy Grand Matron, was held at the close, with Fast Matrons of Grimsby Chapter in charge. Members of Mrs. Cloughley's family, as well as friends, were present, extending best wishes for a very happy year of service.

A dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Margaret Moore and her committee and brought to a close a very happy and memorable evening for Grimsby Chapter.

## Trinity Service Club

Trinity Service Club held its regular meeting in Trinity Hall on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. A. V. Cotton presided.

A report on the Christmas boxes sent to the club's three adopted soldiers overseas was given.

The speaker for the afternoon was Mr. Jos. Richardson, student minister of the Baptist Church. His subject was Women in the New World. Mr. Richardson outlined briefly three of the many problems to be solved, namely, economics, rehabilitation and religion.

That a woman's circle of influence starts in the home and is best exemplified in the education, culture and religion of the children under her constant care and supervision was one of the main points.

Mrs. J. Shields, accompanied by Mrs. V. R. Farrell, rendered two delightful solos, "Thanks Be To God," and "Absent."

Afterwards refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. James Merritt and Mrs. L. Morrison.

Mrs. E. Hyland, St. Catharines, spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. MacBride, Adelaide Street.

Terry Farrell, formerly of the Independent staff, who has been residing at Kirkland Lake, is now in the R.C.A.F., and is stationed at Lachine, Que.

The many friends of Mr. Alex Stewart, Kidd avenue, are glad to know that he is making a satisfactory recovery from his recent illness, and is now able to be up and about the house.

Mrs. Lloyd Haynes, of Grimsby, has received word that her husband, Sgt. (Air Gunner) L. R. Haynes has arrived overseas. Sgt. Haynes is 25 years of age, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haynes, of St. Catharines. He has two brothers, Allan, in the army overseas, and Jack in the R.C.A.F. in Canada. Sgt. Haynes was formerly employed by Loblaw's grocery store, Welland, and at the time of his enlistment was employed by the Grimsby Stove and Furnace. He spent embarkation leave with his son, Garry, and his wife, Dorothy, daughter of Wm. and Mrs. Allen, John street.

## Nuptials



WEILER—HUNT

In the Cathedral of Christ the King, Hamilton, on November 3, Rev. Joseph A. Powers officiated when Olive, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunt, Brantford (formerly of Grimsby), was united in marriage to Special Constable Edward J. Weiler, R.C.M.P., only son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Weiler, of Hamilton.

The bride was gowned in powder blue chiffon velvet with hat to match. Her corsage bouquet was of orchids and bouvardia. She wore pearls, the gift of the groom.

Miss Frances Weiler, sister of the groom, was her only attendant, wearing a dress of rust and blue wool with matching hat. Her corsage bouquet was of gold chrysanthemums. Mr. Aubrey Hunt, brother of the bride, was best man.

A small reception was held at the home of the groom's mother, 388 Jackson street west, for the immediate members of the families. The couple left for a short trip to points east.

## WINDECKER—PETERS

A very pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. Raske in the Lutheran Church, St. Catharines, on November 3rd, of Miss Anne Peters, of Jordan, to Mr. Emil Windecker, of Beamsville.

The bride looked charming in a long white chiffon gown, with full length veil and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies with white streamers, and her only ornament was a lovely pendant, the gift of the groom.

Miss Frances Cromwell, of Grimsby, was maid of honour, wearing a long blue chiffon gown with blue shoulder length veil and carrying yellow and white roses. Miss Helen Peters, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. Her gown was of pink chiffon, with pink shoulder length veil, her flowers were pink and white roses. Mr. Geo. Picken, of Beamsville, was best man, and Mr. Henry Windecker was usher.

A reception was held at the bride's home, after which a dinner-dance was held at Taylor's Autotel, the couple leaving later for Toronto. The bride travelled in a two-piece black and turquoise suit with accessories to match.

Guests were present from Toronto, Hamilton, Dunnville, Grimsby, Beamsville, and Jordan.

On their return the young couple will reside in Beamsville.

## Coming Events

See the Rebellion of Youth, a play at Trinity Hall, November 25 and 26. Admission 25c.

Navy League Week  
November 21st

## Commencement Exercises, Friday

The annual Commencement exercises at Grimsby High School will be held on Friday night of this week, in the School Auditorium.

The programme of entertainment and presentation of awards is a very lengthy and varied one and will be of much interest to residents, particularly the parents of the pupils.

"This program is dedicated in loving tribute and high praise, to the sacrifice and patriotic devotion of the graduates and undergraduates of Grimsby High School, who have answered the Call of King and Country, to Defend our Homes, to Protect our Heritage, and Establish Freedom on earth."

## Obituary

WILLIAM N. VAIL

William Nelson Vail, Thirty Mountain, a North Grimsby farmer for the last 46 years, died at his home Thursday in his 78th year. He was a deacon of First Baptist Church, Beamsville, and a member of Coronation Masonic lodge, and Smithville chapter Royal Arch Masons. Besides his wife, formerly Maggie Caughey, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Alden Wilcox, Smithville; four brothers, Thomas and Amos, of Simcoe; Cecil, of Montreal, and Rev. Leslie H., of Kenmore.

ALPHEUS E. MERRITT

In failing health for some time, Alpheus E. Merritt passed away at his home, North Grimsby township, Thursday last, in his 68th year.

He was a retired manufacturer, a former member of the firm of Merritt Bros., basket manufacturers in Grimsby. He was born in Calster.

Survivors are his wife, a son, Reginald, North Grimsby; two daughters, Mrs. John Rempel, Toronto, and Lois, at home; also his mother, Mrs. Valmur Merritt; four brothers, Benson and Orton, of

Calster; John and Frank, of Grimsby, and a sister, Mrs. Curtis Swayze, of Caledonia.

Funeral services were held from his late home on Saturday afternoon, with Rev. W. J. Watt officiating. Interment being in Ker Church Cemetery.

Casket bearers were Wm. McNiven, Charles Pottruff, Herbert Smith, Frank Bentley, R. O. Smith, and James Ridge.

## In Memoriam

In loving memory of James Marowe who passed on Nov. 13, 1940.

It's sharing sorrow and work and mirth,

And making better this good old earth;

It's serving, striving, through strain and stress,

It's doing your noblest—that's success.

Mrs. E. R. Swift, Burlington

NO COUPONS REQUIRED FOR APPLE BUTTER

Maraschino cherries, apple butter, sorghum molasses and sorghum syrup have been removed from the list of rationed commodities, it has been announced by the Wartime Prices and Trade Board. Certain commercially used products such as pineapple pulp and apple pie filler in large containers and canned rhubarb in solid pack have also been taken off the ration.

## GRIMSBY HIGH SCHOOL Annual

### Commencement

School Auditorium

Friday, Nov. 12th

at 8:00 p.m. Sharp

Admission - 25 Cents

## St. Joseph's Catholic Church

14 Paton St. Grimsby, Phone 107

Rev. S. A. O'Donnell, M.A., P.P.

XXII Sunday After Pentecost

Mass—11 a.m.

Sunday School—3 p.m.

Benediction—4 p.m.

Smithville—Mass, 9.30 a.m.

Vineland—Mass 11.15 a.m.

## Trinity United Church

W. J. WATT, B.A., B.D., Minister.

SUNDAY, NOV. 14th, 1943

11 a.m.—Walking Against The Lights.

7 p.m.—The Sacrifices of Cain and Abel.

Sunday School at 2.30 in Trinity Hall

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... at ...

### Taylor's Autotel

No. 8 Highway, Between Beamsville and Grimsby

SATURDAY NIGHT COVER CHARGE  
50c Per Person

### DANCE, THURSDAY, NOV. 11

Jimmy Morando And His Band

ADMISSION PER PERSON 75c

Tickets on Sale at Rushton's News, Grimsby, and at Thompson's Milk Bar, Beamsville.

Reservations Appreciated

## FOOD AP STORES Garden Fresh FRUITS & VEGETABLES REAL VALUES

POTATOES New Brunswick or P.E.I. Canada No. 1 Grade 75 lb. bag \$1.95

CELERY HEARTS, Native, pascal, washed bunch 10c

CABBAGE, Native grown, fresh, green 2 lbs. 5c

Native grown TURNIPS, No. 1 grade, waxed 2 lbs. 5c

Native CARROTS, selected, washed 3 lbs. 10c

Native SPY APPLES, combination grade 3 lbs. 20c

BRUSSELS SPROUTS, fresh green, native qt. box 25c

Native CAULIFLOWERS, snow white head 17c

Native LEAF LETTUCE, large heads, new 2 for 19c

ANN PAGE VITAMIN "B" WHOLE WHEAT

## BREAD

Reg. 24-OZ. 3 LOAVES 20c

REALLY FRESH A & P BOKAR COFFEE

Vigorous & Winery 1 lb. bag 35c

BUTTER Silverbrook first grade 1 lb. 37c

PURE LARD 1 lb. 17c

SUPERSUDS 1 lb. 20c

PURITY FLOUR 7 lb. bag 23c 24 lb. bag 73c

TEA A-P Special Blend 4 oz. bag 17c 1/2 lb. pkg. 31c

MACKEREL 1 lb. 27c

CHICKEN HADDIE 1/2 lb. 30c

CHIPS 49c 2 Large pkg. 43c

MUSTARD Libby's 2 6 oz. jars 15c

IVORY SNOW 1 lb. 22c

A & P FOOD STORES  
Owned and Operated by The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. Ltd.



## Coming Up For The Third Strike

(Niagara Advance)  
At a meeting of Lincoln County C.C.F. Association held last Thursday night, Allen E. Schroeder was named candidate for this riding in the next Federal election. Having been badly defeated in two provincial elections apparently qualifies Mr. Schroeder to enter the Dominion field. He's a beggar for punishment.

## Our Mistake

In our issue last week, in reference to the percentages of the local factories, in the Fifth Victory Loan drive, we stated that the employees of H. H. Farrell & Sons factory had reached 78 per cent. This was incorrect, as they passed the 100 per cent mark and had 103 per cent bonds sold. The 78 per cent was the figure for the week previous. This was an error on the part of The Independent.

## Old Age Pensions To Be Increased

Dr. R. P. Vivian, Ontario Minister of Health and Public Welfare, who announced last week that Old Age Pensions would be increased to \$28 a month as of November 1st. Mothers' Allowances will also be increased, announcement of which will be made later.



## SALVAGE

There will be a salvage collection in North Grimsby township, only, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week, November 17, 18 and 19. Have your salvage ready on those dates for the collectors.

Paper, rags, rubber, iron, glass, etc. Everything is salvage these days and is badly needed for the war effort.

## Navy League News



The self-coloured wool for the new type of socks is now here. Quite a number of ladies are waiting to knit them. We have promised to send 50 pairs towards the 5,000 pairs required. These socks will be impregnated with petroleum before they are stored on the lifeboats and rafts of the ships of the Merchant Navy.

More knitters are still required. These socks are heel-less, easy to put on even in a lifeboat on a rough sea. Ordinary socks will continue to be issued to the sailors by the Navy League.

Last week at our committee meeting, our convener, Mrs. Charles Coxall, stressed the urgency of knitting more and more sweaters for the sailors of the Merchant Navy. We are told that some of the ladies are a little tired of knitting them, and would do smaller garments.

We have 5 months of bad weather ahead of us, and no part of a sailor's clothing is so important as a sweater. Who provides them? The owners? No. The government? No. The dire need of supplying them is left to us.

Go to the knitting mills, we are sometimes told. But all their woolen comforts are commandeered by the government for the use of the armed forces. Of course a small supply is released from time to time for the civilian demand.

We put this to the test last week. Two large knitting mills were approached on behalf of this branch of the Navy League. Naturally or not, we found we had no locus standi, the civilian demand came before ours. We stress all this to show we may not slacken off one moment until the whole war is ended.

Woolen comforts, ditty bags, magazines and books, in an endless stream pour into our Canadian ports daily.

The following is part of a letter received by Mrs. Coxall from Mrs. J. C. Mackay, Secretary, Women's Committee, Toronto:

"May I at this time take the opportunity of expressing to yourself and those who are working with you the sincere thanks and gratitude of the Women's Committee and the President and officers of the Navy League for the splendid contributions you are making on behalf of the welfare of our sailors. Believe me, our Women's Committee has been thrilled and tremendously encouraged by the co-operation and willing help of thousands of people throughout the Province."

Mrs. Coxall wants her helpers to know how much their good services are appreciated.

Cucumbers are relished in hot desert country because they quench thirst.

## Apple Crop Shows A Large Increase

The Ontario Fruit and Vegetable Statistics Committee publishes the October Report giving the condition of the commercial fruit and vegetable crops in the Province of Ontario.

**Western Ontario—Apples**—The total district estimate for the apple crop is now considerably increased from previous reports with the total commercial production placed at approximately 490,000 barrels. These revised figures indicate a 37% increase over 1942 published figures, and 21% over the September estimate. Some reduction in Norfolk and Middlesex-Huron areas due to poor sizing of late varieties has been more than offset by heavier production in other districts, particularly in Georgian Bay and Peel-York.

The bulk of the crop has been harvested under favourable conditions with practically no damage from frost, hail or wind. Apples are coloured exceptionally well in practically all areas although size has been somewhat irregular. Late fungus scab has not been troublesome although earlier scab infestation affected many orchards. The codling moth has not been as serious as last year, but apple maggot has increased and red bug injury has affected apples in a few districts. Considerable tonnage in excess of last year is finding its way to processing channels for apple pie filler, apple juice, and dehydration.

**Grapes**—It is now estimated that the total crop will be about 26,000 tons as compared with the bumper crop of 36,000 tons in 1942, or a decrease of 28%. This is a reduction of 6% from our September estimate, largely due to Concord's not yielding as well as anticipated. All varieties produced well filled bunches but many of the Blues were of small size. Quality was excellent and the harvesting was completed under favourable conditions. Vineyards look exceptionally well at the present time.

**Peaches**—The estimated 1943 production of peaches remains as previously reported at 440,000 bushels as compared with 1,620,000 in 1942. There was very little loss from Brown Rot in Elbertas, but insect damage, Peach Moth and Curculio was more serious than in many years.

**Pears**—Owing to general good sizing and yield from young bearing trees, the total production of Kieffers and Bartlett's has been better than earlier anticipated, and the total for all varieties is now placed at 332,200 bushels, a decrease of approximately 20% from last year and 12% better than reported in September. The quality has been excellent with normal sizing.

**Plums**—The total crop of plums of all varieties is estimated at 131,900 bushels, or approximately 31% less than in 1942, a betterment of 12% over the last estimate, due to increased final yield in prunes and European varieties. Quality and size were generally good. Deliveries to processors were heavier than usual.

## MOORE'S THEATRE

FRI. - SAT. NOV. 12-13

### "One Dangerous Night"

Warren William, Eric Blom

"Professor Small and Mr. Tall"

"Shep Fields And Band"

"Proudly She Marches"

Matinee Saturday — 2 p.m.

MON. TUES. NOV. 15-16

### "Spitfire"

Leslie Howard, Rosamund John

"Picture People"

"Sportlight"

WED. THUR. NOV. 17-18

### "The Constant Nymph"

Charles Boyer, Joan Fontaine

"Fox Movietonews"

"The Unbearable Bear"

## BREVITIES

### EVENTS AND TOPICS of the WEEK in TABLOID .....

Lions meet next Tuesday night.

Water Commission meets next Tuesday night.

Navy Week in Canada is Nov. 21st to 27th.

Township council meets Saturday afternoon.

Renew your subscription to The Independent TODAY.

Big Turkey Bingo, Community Hall, Beamsville, Dec. 3rd.

Today is the 25th Anniversary of the signing of the Armistice in World War I.

Beamsville Boy Scouts invested a portion of their recent Apple Day sales in a Victory Bond.

Owing to the housing shortage trailer homes are on the increase in St. Catharines and are causing the Board of Health some concern.

County Council will not hold its regular meeting on Tuesday next, owing to several of the members being away deer hunting. The meeting will be held Tuesday, Nov. 23rd.

The annual meeting of the Niagara Peninsula Fruit Growers Association will be held in the Masonic Hall, Grimsby, Thursday, Dec. 9th, at 8 p.m.

Matt Fisher, Earle Durham, Ted Durham and Alex Parker have returned from deer hunting in the north country. They brought back their full complement.

W. H. Stevens of St. Mary's has been at Grimsby Beach the past two weeks tearing down the lake-side portion of the old Casino building. The balance of the building will be razed in the spring.

More Grimsby deer hunters have gone to the bush. Fire Chief Alf. LePage, Frank E. Russ and Teddy Hand left for Port Loring on Saturday morning. This will be the 46th deer hunt for Mr. Russ.

"Lifebuoy Follies, a breezy, riotous fun-fest, of gals, wisecracks, music and dancing, will be presented in the High School Auditorium, Thursday night, Dec. 9th, under the auspices of the Grimsby branch, Red Cross.

A general meeting of the Progressive-Conservative Association of Ontario is being held tomorrow in the Royal York hotel, Toronto. Clarence W. Lewis, President of Grimsby association is attending this meeting.

The death occurred in Tilbury on Friday last of Kenneth Stillwaugh, in his 58th year. Mr. Stillwaugh will be remembered by many people of this district as the Superintendent of the Grimsby Brick and Tile Works during the middle thirties.

The kiddies around Grimsby Beach have lost their pet. Biddy, the 16-year-old hen owned by Mrs. Iva Culver has passed away to chicken heaven. She was a great favorite of all the youngsters around the Beach and was still laying up until a few days of her demise.

Among the names of those who have been repatriated to the United Kingdom in exchange for Nazi-held prisoners in Allied hands is Pte. Carl Ernest Juhlke, of Niagara-on-the-Lake, a former Beamsville boy, son of the late Ernie Juhlke for many years Chief of Police of the eastern village. A brother Wm. was killed at Dieppe.

Crown Attorney E. H. Lancaster, K.C., St. Catharines, has announced that no inquest will be held in connection with the death of Mrs. Arthur W. Snyder and her five-year-old son, Donald Snyder, killed in a level-crossing accident at St. Ann's on Oct. 18. Mrs. Snyder was driving towards Smithville on the Twenty road when her car was struck by a T. H. & B. train.

Mayor Edrie S. Johnson, honorary treasurer of the Poppy Fund reports that sale of Poppies in Grimsby on Saturday last totalled \$103.50. As complete reports from other districts of West Lincoln branch, Canadian Legion, on Poppy sales have not yet been received, a full report cannot be made until a future date. Wm. J. Schwab had charge of the sale of Poppies in Grimsby town and he is to be congratulated on record sale that he made.

Births in October in St. Catharines numbered 92, 52 of which were new arrivals for residents of St. Catharines, and 40 were non-resident. Deaths for the month totalled 30, 23 of which were resident deaths. Marriages numbered 49, an average of more than one a day, according to the vital statistics report issued today for October by the city clerk's department.

Police Chief W. W. Turner was

called twice on Saturday to investigate two accidents in which the same car was involved. According to his report, a car in charge of Geo. Robinson, Grimsby Beach, was sideswiped by a machine in charge of Harold Gowland at the corner of Nelles and Main street, damage being about \$75. The Robinson car was later parked on Elizabeth street, and while there it was struck on the left side by a car in charge of Ross Johnson.



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FOR SALE	WANTED
FOR SALE — Melton Overcoat, black, size 40. \$8.00. Box 31. 17-2p	WANTED — Airman's wife, fully experienced sales clerk, wishes part time work. Box 90, Independent. 18-3p
FOR SALE — Girl's skates with boots; size 4. Apply 12 Gibson Ave. 18-1p	WANTED — Used furniture, stoves, and farm implements. M. J. Swibb, King St., Beamsville, Phone 230. 43-tfo
FOR SALE — Man's bicycle, good condition. Apply 50 Mountain Road. 18-1p	WANTED — Tired of seeing that glazed sash lying around doing nobody any good? If it's suitable for a porch, call 36. 18-1p
FOR SALE — Lady's winter coat, green, nearly new, silver fox fur, size 18. Phone 475. 18-1p	WANTED — Cook-general for Hotel in Grimsby district. Apply National Selective Service, 44 King E., Hamilton. Refer Permit No. 15189. 18-c
FOR SALE — Folding go-cart and play-pen. Apply A. Judd, Kerman avenue, north of C.N.R. tracks. 18-1p	WANTED — Fruit farm on highway, up to five acres, small house with conveniences, between Winona and Beamsville. Cash or terms. Box 22, Independent. 17-2p
POTATOES FOR SALE — First class Katahdin and Cobbler Potatoes. C. M. Bonham, Telephone 560. 18-1p	FOUND — Small sum of money at east end of town. Owner may enquire at Independent Office. 18-1e
FOR SALE — Man's winter coat, black, size 40, perfect condition. Cost \$25. Will sell for \$15. Box 23, Independent. 18-1p	LOST — Between post office and cemetery gates, blue wallet containing registration card, insurance papers, \$2 bill, and change. Finder please bring to Independent Office. 18-1p
FOR SALE — Good frame house, in good location in Grimsby; all conveniences. Immediate possession. Apply 100 Maple Avenue. 18-2c	
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CARROTS FOR SALE — Large or small quantities, \$1.00 per hamper. Please bring own container. Arthur Parsonage, Main West, Phone 525. 17-2c	
MISCELLANEOUS	
PAINTING AND PAPERHANGING — W. Twocock, Mansion Apt. C, Phone 99w. 43-6p	
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"KLESEX" — FOR SKIN AFFECTIONS. Sold in two Strengths—Medium and Strong. Heals Eczema, Boils, Psoriasis, Erythema, Impetigo, Itch, Chaps, etc., while you work. 50c; \$1.00; \$2.00. Sold by Dymond's Drug Store. 18-1c	
Notice to Creditors AND OTHERS	
All persons having claims against the estate of Katharine Maude Emilia Groat, late of the town of Grimsby, in the County of Lincoln, widow, deceased, who died on the 5th day of April, 1937 are required to send same to the undersigned executor on or before the 30th day of November 1943, after which date the estate will be distributed, having regard only to the claims then filed.	
Dated at Hamilton, Ont., this 20th day of October, 1943.	
K. A. GROUT, Executor, 86 Victoria Ave., North, Hamilton, Ont.	

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# WITH THE TRUNDLERS

## Peach Queens' Bowling League

<b>JOHN HALE</b>	Walters	122	206	128	436
	Sims	139	105	137	381
	Hildreth	125	193	130	448
	Irish	192	238	185	595
	Todd	111	89		200
	Dummy			131	131

<b>VANGUARD</b>	Reid	133	124	136	393
	Walters	107	111	80	298
	Cosby	131	139	121	391
	Mino	88	99	84	271
	Johnson	143	123	137	403

<b>SOUTH HAVEN</b>	Carson	151	190	215	556
	Walters	74		164	238
	Balsley	165	127	258	550
	Biggar	139	83		222
	Wilson	195	181	130	506
	Anderson		127	107	234

<b>VEDETTE</b>	McBride	210	166	339	715
	Southward	131	128		259
	Shelton	114	193	176	483
	Murdoch	86		164	250
	Marlowe	191	171	165	527
	Bonham		149	101	250

<b>VICTORY</b>	Robertson	173	143		316
	Clark	127		167	294
	Neale	228	221	163	612
	Cosby	142	160	195	497
	A. Neale	172	195	151	518
	Duffield		223	137	360

<b>GOLDEN DROP</b>	Metcalfe	128	131	117	376
	J. Jarvis	146	131	134	511
	N. Jarvis	109	63	108	280
	Douse	142	67	79	288
	Hurst	78	110	254	442

<b>ROCHESTER</b>	Buttle	141	106	124	371
	St. John	121	134	128	383
	Heaslip	197	97	133	427
	Tregaskes	145	209	84	438
	Crown	115	179	142	436

<b>VICEROY</b>	M. Cole	106	129	146	381
	Armstrong	106	145	129	380
	Lewis	122	155	190	467
	Fisher	159	177	207	543
	Hummel	126	223	142	491

<b>VIMY</b>	Dunham	135	162	136	433
	Geddes	124	202	154	480
	Frazier	147	177	171	495
	Scott	82	154	66	302
	Elmer	243	185	178	606

<b>MAYFLOWER</b>	Laing	154	147	174	475
	Martin	194	143	178	515
	Curtis	169	255	190	615

Stevenson	142	175	317
Betta	152	222	526
Lambert	141		141

<b>VETERAN</b>	Rahn	111	175	286
	Shelton	114	100	315
	Fair	191	148	527
	Allan	139	128	414
	Reilly	111	88	352

<b>ELBERTA</b>	Rogers	142	121	119	382
	Phelps	157	89	151	397
	Terry	161	123	224	508
	Shafer	130	126	62	318
	Dummy	136	140	125	410

<b>CRAWFORD</b>	Pyndyk	150	191	149	490
	Parker	149	153	118	420
	Watts	110	132		242
	MacMillan	82		112	194
	Hildreth	140	193	90	423

<b>ST. JOHN</b>	Konkle	122	174	131	427
	Mackie	136	151	185	472
	Ferris	149	221	133	503
	Tillotson	101		136	237
	Stuart	133	172	129	434

<b>ADMIRAL DEWEY</b>	McCallum	185	222	207	614
	Whyte	157	158	145	460
	Turner	164	157	269	590
	Kanmacher	84	76	85	245
	Dummy	102	136	142	389

<b>VALIANT</b>	DeMille	226	257	141	624
	Tufford	156	181	120	457
	Gillespie	193	158	134	485
	Farrell	164	108	155	427
	Irvine	168	138	149	455

<b>JOHN HALE</b>	Irish	162			
	Walters	155			
	Todd	140			
	Davidson	130			
	Sims	129			

<b>VEDETTE</b>	MacBride	192			
	Marlowe	161			
	Shelton	160			
	Bonham	135			
	Southward	127			

<b>ROCHESTER</b>	Groff	155			
	Crown	145			
	Tregaskes	139			
	Heaslip	132			
	St. John	128			

<b>SOUTH HAVEN</b>	Carson	156			
	Balsley	155			
	Wilson	133			
	Biggar	105			
	Anderson	87			

<b>GOLDEN DROP</b>	Hurst	134			
	Metcalfe	107			
	J. Jarvis	164			
	N. Jarvis	91			
	Douse	90			

<b>VANGUARD</b>	Johnson	146			
	Hill	136			
	Reid	134			
	Cosby	130			
	Chandler	115			

<b>MAYFLOWER</b>	Stuart	87			
	Mino	80			
	Hartwell				

## Ladies' Averages

<b>ADMIRAL DEWEY</b>	McCallum	57
	Turner	155
	Whyte	131
	Kanmacher	126
	Theal	114
	Gibson	101

<b>CRAWFORD</b>	Pyndyk	160
	Parker	152
	Hildreth	149
	MacMillan	148
	Watts	137
	Pettit	128

<b>VETERAN</b>	Fair	164
	Allan	148
	Rahn	134
	Reilly	126
	Shelton	115
	Cloughley	111

<b>ELBERTA</b>	Terry	153
	Rogers	146
	Phelps	127
	Shafer	117
	Baxter	113

<b>ST. JOHN</b>	Ferris	151
	Stuart	146
	Konkle	142
	Mackie	139
	Tillotson	136

<b>VALIANT</b>	Irvine	178
	DeMille	158
	Tufford	137
	Gillespie	137
	Farrell	134

<b>VICTORY</b>	Robertson	200
	Duffield	175
	M. Neale	173
	A. Neale	171
	Cosby	162

<b>VICEROY</b>	Fisher	172
	Hummel	135
	Armstrong	135
	M. Cole	129
	Lewis	126

<b>MAYFLOWER</b>	Curtis	172
	Martin	154
	Betta	154
	Laing	150
	Stevenson	148

<b>VIMY</b>	Elmer	179
	Dunham	150
	Geddes	150
	Frazier	145
	Merritt	136

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## League Standing

Victory	21
Valiant	20
Mayflower	19
Crawford	16
Vedette	15
John Hale	13
South Haven	12
Elberta	12
Rochester	12
St. John	10
Vimy	10
Veteran	6
Viceroi	5
Admiral Dewey	5
Vanguard	1
Golden Drop	1

High Score, 339, D. McBride.  
High Average, 200, C. Robertson.  
High Triple, 744, M. Irvine.

# SPORTOLOGY

By Bones Livingston, Sportologist

## THE GIRLS ARE GOING WILD

There was plenty of excitement at the Bowldway on Friday night. Dris McBride was the cause. She bowled three games for a total score of 715, with a high game of 339, this toppled little Mary Irvine off the top rung of the ladder for the Hewson & Son trophy, but the "red head" was not good enough to cop the triple high score which Mary still retains at 744. In that high game Doris just couldn't do anything wrong, despite the fact that in her previous game she had hard work to make a score of 166 . . . Rumor has it that the manufacturers of Black Cat cigarettes are providing Ollie Shaw and his team of Black Cats with free smokes, for the great showing that they are making in their league games. If there is anything free going around you can bet that Shaw will get his share . . . It's remarkable how Corine Robertson and her Victory team stick to the top of the Peach Queen's league. The going is not as soft for them this season as last, still they manage to hang onto the leadership by a one game margin . . . Clarence and Mrs. Rushton entertained the Peach Kings team that won the Class "C" O.S.A. championship this past season, on Thursday night last. The boys were presented with new red and white windbreakers . . . Since the above paragraphs were written there have been more hectic scenes at the Pin Toppling Palace. Whizzer Kannacher and his Pirates cockily went into action on Monday night but when Ald. Howard Inglehart and his Boulevard gang got done with the bold, bad buccaners they were down to one and Little Whizzer hasn't got it figured out yet how it all happened. Then the grand explosion took place. Ollie Shaw and his Black Cats got their tails twisted something awful by that crew of peach pickers from the west end of the township, the Pin Twisters. Peach King Mert Zimmerman, corn cob pipe and all, led his crew into battle in true Montgomery style and what a lacing for three games they gave the Cats. Big Timber Tufford, mainstay of the Cats tank corps was as much good to his team as a peanut to a hungry elephant and all the rest of the outfit were just as cheezy. As a result of this terrific setback I've got two bits that says that Shaw won't stick his nose inside Rushton's barber shop for the next 10 day. It's tough to be a champ. and get knocked off.

## GRIMSBY BOWLING LEAGUE

Wednesday, November 3	Handicap	60	60	60
<b>WONDERS</b>				
Luey	239	224	183	
Colter	205	174	199	
Hurst	224	134	248	
Laskey	163	192	198	
Lewitt	176	209	294	

<b>BUTCHERS</b>	1007	933	1122
Betta	184	245	155
Burgess	183	215	
St. John	182	277	159
Fisher	167	247	223
Martin	153		199
Jarvis		236	242
Handicap	60	60	60

<b>BARBERS</b>	255	193	180
Kelterborn	220	130	164
Turner	159	214	154
Tufford	267	225	115
Forester	139		135
Hand		130	


<b>GAS HOUSE</b>	1040	890	748
Rahn	182	233	223
C. Shelton	195	180	171
Buckenham	165	171	
Girling	172	223	149
Hartnett	134		208
Shelton		226	209
Handicap		10	

<b>PIRATES</b>	92	165	
Falloon	133	119	
Metcalfe	166	180	129
Kanmacher	165	150	180
Clark	125	239	262
Norman	143	270	
Handicap	711	821	1006

128	Gas House 2; Barbers, 1.				ST. JOSEPH'S		
128					Fr. O'Donnell	170	162
	Monday, November 4th				R. Phipps	159	185
	PIRATES				Fr. Cerrone	149	233
161							
156	Falloon	92		165	Vooges	174	127
156	Clatsenburg	133	119		Case		210
133	Metcalfe	196	180	129	Handicap	20	10
136	Kennacher	165	150	188			



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## CONTINUATIONS

### From Page One

**TOWN COUNCIL** of Grimsby, henceforth grow heads and so aid the war effort, by using less soap and add to the dignity of this body, becoming in outward appearance as well as other respects, Fathers of the Town — copy of this to be sent to Warden Charles Durham with the admonition, Go Thou And Do Likewise.

At opening of meeting Mayor Johnson asked council to stand for one minute's silence out of respect to ex-Mayor A. G. Boulter who passed away last week.

Edward Todd wrote council asking for permission to place on lot No. 13, Robinson street north, a small cottage at present on the English Inn Property, No. 8 Highway east. He stated he wished to remodel the building for renting purposes.

Roy Johnson appeared before council with regard to moving a body interred in his lot in Queen's Lawn Cemetery, closer to another grave in the same lot. He agreed to pay all expenses in connection with same.

Joint Fire Committee accounts for \$385.92 were ordered paid.

A grant of \$50 was made to the Lincoln County Humane Society for services rendered in Grimsby this year.

A bylaw was passed fixing the time for holding the first meeting of council in each year, as the Second Monday in January at 8 o'clock in the evening.

A bylaw was passed authorizing the transfer of property on Murray street north, east side, to Matilda Dokken, Ottawa, for \$350.

Relief accounts for the month of October amounted to \$55.27.

General accounts for \$2,180.19, were ordered paid.

Tax Collector Hummel reported \$2,356.43 collected in October on 1943 taxes. From January first to October 31st, taxes to the amount of \$50,780.68 have been collected as against \$70,968.87 in 1942.

Police report for the month of October showed: Four charges of theft; one charge of vagrancy, dismissed; one truck stolen, recovered; one stolen car recovered; one stolen bicycle recovered; one break-in, nothing taken; for Humane Officer, eight cats, five dogs; dog tax collected, \$34.75.

Clarence McNinch and Dr. Jas. L. Smith having suspended business in the municipality their business tax for 1943 will be rebated.

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## High School Auditorium, Dec. 9th



Dancing Duo with the Lifebuoy Follies, that will appear in Grimsby, under the auspices of the Grimsby Red Cross.

Lothian-Bull—"That this council in regular meeting assembled, extends the members deepest sympathy to the family of the late A. G. Boulter, a former Mayor of this town and a highly respected citizen, in their bereavement."—Carried.

Baker-Inglehart—"That this council recommend the following to the new council appointed in January, 'that particular attention be paid by them to the scale of wages paid town employees.'"—Carried.

Inglehart-Alton—"That Mr. Edward Todd be advised that the Town Council has refused permission to move cottage on Robinson Street North."—Carried.

### GRIMSBY OVER TOP

with 154 per cent. The other percentages were as follows:

Shafer Bros.	123%
Growers Cold Storage	120%
Merritt Bros.	108%
Town Employees	106%
Farrell's	103%
Hewson & Son	100%
United Distillers	100%
Brock Snyder	75%
Metal Craft	75%

### DECORATE GRAVES

the service. An address was given by Father B. A. O'Donnell and prayers were offered by Rev. J. A. Ballard and John Richardson. The lesson was read by Rev. W. J. Watt. The roll of honour, containing 118 names, seven of whom have died in action in the present war, was read by Major L. A. Bromley, and Last Post was sounded by buglers. On the stage of the

theatre was a beautiful basket of chrysanthemums cabled from overseas by two former ushers, Sgt. Norman Warner and Pte. Kenneth Warner.

Following wreaths were placed: Province of Ontario, by Mrs. Robert Neale; town of Grimsby, by Mayor Edric Johnson; township of North Grimsby, by C. W. Durham; L.O.D.E., by Mrs. E. W. Phelps; Women's Institute, by Mrs. George Warner; Legion, by L. A. Bromley; Lions club, by Erwin Phelps.

### MOTORCYCLIST IS

Dr. A. F. McIntyre attended, but found the boy's injuries such that he had died instantly. Coroner Dr. J. H. Leeds, Smithville, viewed the boy's remains at the Stonehouse funeral home and reported by telephone to Lincoln County Crown Attorney E. H. Lancaster, K. C., St. Catharines. Provincial Constables A. E. Reilly and Ernest Hart, of the Grimsby detachment, investigated.

Lyle Smith was born near Ancaster on June 10, 1927. For the last several years he had resided at Beamsville, coming to North Grimsby one year ago. He was attending Hamilton Technical School.

He is survived by his father; three brothers, F.O. Ivan Smith, R.C.A.F., overseas; Pte. Ralph Smith, R.C.E., in Canada, and Donald, at home; also five sisters, Mrs. John Tiverton, Mrs. David Cox and Mrs. Grant Laundry, all of Beamsville; Eileen and Betty, at home. He was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pottruff, North Grimsby.

Funeral was held from the Stonehouse funeral home on Tuesday afternoon, with interment in White Brick Church Cemetery, Ancaster.

Rev. W. C. Almack, United Church, Beamsville conducted the services assisted by Rev. W. J. Watt, Grimsby.

Casket bearers were Wm. Cox, David Kimberley, Frank Tiverton, Beamsville, Jack McLaren, Jas. Price and Lee Krhez, Grimsby.

The death occurred in Elora, Ontario, on Sunday, Oct. 31st, 1943, of a former well-known resident of Beamsville and Clinton Township, in the person of Thomas R. Gilmore, in his 89th year. Mr. Gilmore was a former Reeve of Clinton Township having held that position for nine years. Though not having lived in the district for some years he has generally made it a point to visit the district in recent years to renew acquaintances.

In the belief that he could do more service to his country by staying on the job and looking after his customers, Charlie Harris, of Beamsville, has decided that he will not go back to his job at the proving ground at Port Dalhousie, but will remain at home and take care of all calls. Owing to the fuel situation, chimneys and flues must be kept in perfect order so that the greatest amount of heat can be obtained from the least amount of fuel consumed. Charlie is an "old slogger" of the last "do" and he is right on the job in this "do" even if it is the Home Front.

## Boy Scouts



PARENTS' NIGHT, NOV. 22nd 7:30 p.m.

The boys of the troop take pleasure in inviting their parents and friends to one of their regular meetings. Thanks to the board of education we are now able to have friends come to the high school and watch the boys in scouting. Parents and friends will please reserve this date and be on hand at the time stated. Seating will be provided for all.

At Monday night's meeting the boys were busy planning for parents' night. Troop leader Ian Marr and Assistant Scoutmaster Douglas Bedford experimented with a new form of meeting which we believe will add more interest to our scouting. After the game of rabbit and dog the boys were given an opportunity of trying some acrobatics on the horse and also on the mats.

Four boys who have qualified to become scouts were invested by the officers, William Betts, Donald Tracey, Donald Mogg, Fred Schwab. They are now able to wear their uniforms on all occasions and can wear their first badges. Scout LeRoy Zimmerman was raised to the position of patrol leader and will be given his stripes on parents' night.

The following boys were passed by the court of honour and were received into the troop on Monday night: John Millyard, Bobby Jones, David Todd, Billy Wilson, Teddy Robertson.

### CUBSING

The ten boys under training as leaders of the cub pack are now ready to try their first tests, and then they can wear their neckerchief and cap. Equipment and supplies are gradually being secured for this work and we expect to be able to open the pack for enrolment on time.



(By Jan Kendel)

No. 1 and No. 2 Coy's, G.H.S. Cadet Corps, took part in the annual Armistice Day parade last Sunday.

Coincidences certainly do happen! Last week-end, three former students (43) of G.H.S. were home on leave. L.A.C. Ted McNinch, who has been stationed at Belleville, expects a move shortly. A.C. 2 Bill Fellows is taking over for Ted at Belleville, so everything will still be well under control there. But L.A.C. Ted Konkle, decided he'd like to be different, so he's leaving Guelph for Calgary, the latter part of this week. Who says G.H.S.'ers don't get around?

To-mite after you kids have finished playing rugby, and are riding home with that special "W" number, take a look at G.H.S. Look at the stone church beside it—sniff the air, and watch the lowering of the flag, to . . .

To-mite in Europe the bombers will come. If there were a little stone church and a school and kids playing rugby, and a flag, they wouldn't be there tomorrow. There'd be debris and ambulances, smoke and a wooden cross—a wooden cross where a flag-pole might have stood.

"But," you say, "it couldn't happen here!" but couldn't it?

We didn't think any boys we ever knew would never play rugby again either, did we? Those tiny black crosses on the Honour Roll prove our one mistake. Let's not make another. Buy War Savings Stamps, more and more and more, and more, until we're sure that all those other lads, G.H.S. lads will be able to shout, "Hey gang! How 'bout rugby?" when they come home again.

G. H. S. Cadet Corps, '43  
Captain P. V. Smith, Instructor.  
No. 1 Coy (Boys' Division)  
C.O.—Andrew Fulton.  
Regimental Sgt. Major — Bob

These days, when tea must yield the utmost in flavor, quality is of supreme importance. Ask for . . .

# "SALADA" TEA

Thompson.  
No. 1 Platoon: Lieut. Sandy Marr, Sgt. Larry Burgess, Cpl's Havlock Jewson, Bruce Shafer, Harry Levine; L. Cpl's Gordon Lipsit, Don Riches, John Schott.  
No. 2 Platoon: Lieut. Graham Brownlee; Sgt. Ian Stevenson; Cpl's Don Martin, Arthur Tickner, Ken Fairbank; L. Cpl's Doug. McAlonen, Arthur Brydon, Ken Martin.  
No. 3 Platoon—Lieut. Ian Marr; Sgt. Jim Bant; Cpl's Doug. Bedford, Bill Fisher, Doug. Cole; L. Cpl's Wilson, LeDrew, Roy Rosebrugh, Phillip Moberley.  
No. 2 Coy (Girls' Division)  
C. O.—Alice Neale.  
Coy. Sgt. Major — Dorothy Metcalfe.  
No. 1 Platoon — Lieut. Eleanor Dymond; Sgt. Willa Pettit; Cpl's Joan Eaton, Louise Knight, Germaine Marsh; L. Cpl's Philippe Thompson, Shirley Cornwell, Madeline Fogachar.  
No. 2 Platoon — Lieut. Glenna Farrell; Sgt. Marigold Duck; Cpl's Mary Tenny, Kathleen Yeager, Suzanne Paine; L. Cpl's Merl Betzner, Pat Clattenburg, Ruth Lindensmith.  
No. 3 Platoon — Lieut. Barbara Boehm; Sgt. Alison Jeffries; Cpl's Betty Hand, Beverley Burgess, Doris Dipper; L. Cpl's Eileen McPherson, Joyce Mogg, Joan Greig.

## NAVY WEEK STARTS NOV. 21st



Dadies . . . please do your travelling between 2 a.m. and 4 p.m. to avoid rush hours when war workers have to be carried. Leave children at home to make room for essential travellers. Avoid Friday, Saturday and week-end travel. Do everything you can to ease war-time travel congestion and avoid inconvenience and discomfort.



## War calls must come first . . .

which means that we should reduce our non-essential use of the telephone to the minimum. Present facilities cannot be increased; your co-operation is needed if war calls are to go through promptly. Please remember that the wasteful use of telephone time can hold up war business — and that every second you save counts.

